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Spread of cancer in the German Empire.

[Table showing the deaths from carcinoma per 100,000 inhabitants, prepared from the statistics published by the imperial health office at Berlin. Report of government counsellor. Dr. Wutzdorff.]

State or province.	1892.					1898.				
	On the whole.	Age—				On the whole.	Age—			
		1 year.	1 to 15 years.	15 to 60 years.	Over 60 years.		1 year.	1 to 15 years.	15 to 60 years.	Over 60 years.
East Prussia.....	46.2	11.4	4.9	46.3	206.2	50.6	3.2	1.6	52.6	227.2
West Prussia.....	40.5	.....	2.2	39.2	239.8	46.7	2.0	1.7	45.5	276.0
Berlin.....	80.8	2.6	2.3	75.9	594.1	101.7	2.6	4.7	86.9	746.3
Brandenburg.....	51.1	11.0	1.0	44.3	296.0	60.3	10.8	0.9	51.8	356.4
Pomerania.....	52.6	6.5	2.7	49.5	281.0	60.9	2.1	2.1	53.7	347.4
Posen.....	33.0	.....	0.6	35.7	187.0	41.1	1.6	2.1	40.9	249.2
Silesia.....	45.7	9.2	3.0	44.1	233.9	53.8	2.1	1.1	53.0	283.4
Saxony.....	54.6	6.3	2.1	49.7	324.5	62.8	4.8	1.8	57.8	375.2
Schleswig-Holstein.....	70.4	2.9	2.0	54.6	408.8	78.9	5.2	2.2	58.7	482.1
Hanover.....	54.1	3.0	1.1	49.4	303.5	56.1	2.8	1.1	49.1	332.8
Westphalia.....	41.9	3.6	1.0	43.4	292.7	45.7	5.1	1.9	46.6	335.3
Hessen-Nassau.....	49.2	.....	0.9	43.8	316.9	56.6	7.9	0.9	48.4	380.0
Rhine Province.....	43.5	1.3	2.2	42.4	285.1	51.2	5.4	1.4	46.5	359.4
Hohenzollern.....	60.6	.....	.....	35.2	424.3	47.3	.....	5.1	26.7	301.7
Bavaria right of Rhine.....	38.8	7.6	1.8	73.4	492.5	102.3	7.4	2.4	84.1	576.9
Bavaria left of Rhine.....	59.2	.....	2.4	49.8	446.0	73.3	4.6	2.6	62.7	545.5
Kingdom of Saxony.....	85.7	3.9	1.8	74.3	610.9	92.6	5.1	1.8	79.7	663.4
Württemberg.....	71.1	1.9	2.1	61.6	420.2	95.6	3.7	1.3	84.5	549.1
Baden.....	89.4	2.3	1.5	69.3	588.3	105.2	8.5	2.8	82.9	675.4
Hessen.....	89.3	7.6	1.0	66.6	574.4	97.6	3.5	0.9	71.9	583.1
Brunswick.....	78.2	16.1	3.8	69.6	497.2	88.0	38.1	2.1	73.8	700.4
Sachsen-Meiningen.....	45.5	.....	1.3	40.2	300.8	64.4	.....	1.3	62.1	388.5
Sachsen-Altenburg.....	38.4	18.0	.....	75.7	566.4	71.8	.....	1.7	61.5	455.1
Sachsen-Koburg-Gotha.....	43.9	.....	3.0	47.3	188.6	43.3	48.4	1.4	36.8	239.1
Anhalt.....	78.8	21.8	1.1	60.5	565.5	80.5	.....	1.0	68.0	541.2
Schwarzburg-Sondershausen.....	70.2	.....	.....	55.9	426.6	64.2	87.4	11.4	57.5	284.7
Waldeck.....	36.3	.....	.....	19.1	302.2	58.6	.....	.....	60.4	302.2
Reuss.....	72.0	47.2	17.2	68.5	393.2	57.2	.....	4.2	58.9	339.1
Schaumburg-Lippe.....	46.3	.....	.....	37.6	264.0	37.9	.....	7.5	61.0	170.9
Lippe.....	72.3	24.2	2.0	53.2	560.7	57.9	24.2	.....	54.1	373.5
Lubeck.....	128.4	.....	.....	91.7	872.0	133.6	.....	7.6	104.6	817.1
Bremen.....	77.1	.....	.....	67.0	619.6	86.0	.....	4.8	75.3	662.1
Hamburg.....	35.6	.....	5.6	72.5	663.3	113.6	.....	1.0	94.3	899.6
Alsace Lorraine.....	69.2	2.6	1.5	52.9	381.6	80.5	11.9	3.0	58.2	463.6
In German Empire.....	59.6	4.6	1.8	54.2	379.5	70.6	5.5	1.8	61.9	493.4
Kingdom of Prussia.....	49.0	4.8	2.0	46.3	289.4	56.6	4.4	1.6	52.4	346.5
Kingdom of Bavaria.....	84.9	6.6	2.0	70.4	487.9	98.5	7.0	2.4	80.8	573.6

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

HONOLULU, H. I., *March 17, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to report the outgoing quarantine transactions at this station for the week ended March 15, 1902, as follows: Number of steamships inspected and passed, 2; number of sailing vessels inspected and passed, 6; 1 army transport passed on certificate of surgeon in charge with 979 persons aboard; number of cabin passengers inspected and passed, 41; number of steerage passengers detained and passed, 35; number of crew detained and passed, 144; number of pieces of baggage disinfected, 161; number of sailing vessels disinfected, 7.

Respectfully,

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